

# -Y-12 BULLETIN

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# More Dance Ticketsellers **Listed For April 7 Soiree**

More and more ticket-sellers a steam iron, an attache case, an

Metal Preparation's Jo Ann Isham lists a score of availabilities in that division:

Thelma Bradshaw Corine McDaniel Dennie Roberts Wilma Trebilcox **Bobbie Watkins** Herman Butler R. Butler Barbara Bowers Carolyn Millsaps Beverly Grubb Fay Duncan Jim Thompson Lizz Harris

Ticket-sellers are talking the April dance up in big fashion now with only a couple of weeks

In Engineering, Bill Fleischman has added:

#### Joyce Williamson

Other divisions have already announced ticket-hawkers. They

Materials and Services: Bobbie Hill

Margaret Damron Shirley Humphrey

In the Maintenance Division, Mary Wayne White has named:

Frances Donahue

Jo Bratton Madge Keck Naomi Hart

The Fabrication Division's Frank Broome has already named:

Joe Ryan Bob Bohanan Bruce Dyer Spence Ferguson Charles Kuykendahl

A literal "grab-bag" of door prizes has been described by the Recreation Department. Among the loot are an electric can opener, a Skotch kooler, a world globe,

have been announced by the outside wall thermometer, a dance committee for the big man's shaving kit; a giant umbrella, an electric heat massager, and a Coleman picnic jug.

The tickets all the above are scattering are only \$1.50 per head for the entire event. Alan Atkins and his orchestra will be on hand to supply the tunes of the day.

Holy catfish, looks like the old days. Let's jam the rafters Friday week to "swing into Spring" in proper style!

# Wonderin' Where The Yellow Went?

Yellow will be in fashion again, so says Security. In the quarterly badge exchange, yellow-bordered badges will return come Friday, March 31. They will be at the self-service racks at each portalof-entry on the day shift, Friday

The new badges will remain in the racks until 11 p.m. Wednesday, April 12. If you fail to pick up your new badge by then, guards will not honor the old blue-bordered badges of "the winter of our discontent.'

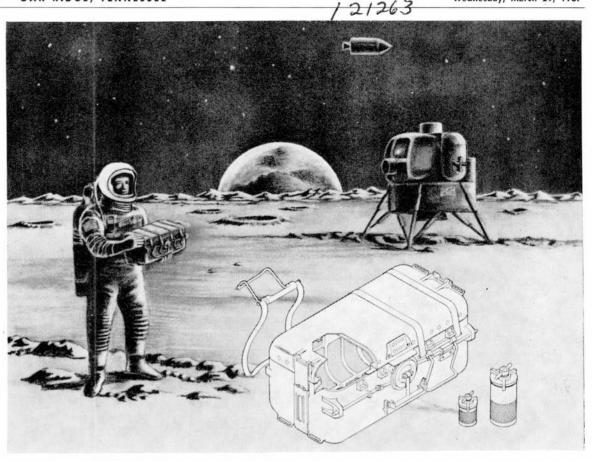
Badge & Pass folks say please, please, please. When you remove your new badge from the racks . . . put the old one back in the same slot. They are numerically arranged and easier to keep up with if they are kept in order.

Pick up your badge early. Get in the swing of things and help us all celebrate Spring!

#### APRIL SHOWERS

About the only good thing that

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Y-12'S 'MOON ROCK' BOX is seen in this artist's concept. An Apollo astronaut prepares to collect lunar geological samples in a special container designed and fabricated here for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Two such containers will be taken on the first moon voyage. In the foreground is a closeup of one of the boxes. At right are two cylindrical canisters designed to contain a small quantity of specimens under higher vacuum conditions. In the background, the Lunar Excursion rests before its rendezvous with the orbiting Command Module in space.

#### OLD HEADLINES

"Young people show neither piety nor patriotism. They are causing the country's decline," wasn't in yesterday's newspaper It was penned by Socrates, 399

#### SIGNS OF THE TIMES

Pity the poor mothers 20 years can be said of rain is that you ago who vaccinated their daughdon't have to shovel it off the ters in places they thought sidewalks. wouldn't show!

# Y-12 'Rock-Boxes' To Go To Moon With Astronauts

lected by Appolo astronauts will atmosphere. be returned to earth in two vacuum-tight containers designed tainers and canisters will be diand fabricated here in Y-12.

The work is being performed for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration under an interagency agreement with the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission. Y-12 was selected to perform the assignment because of its versatile fabrication facilities and its experience in developing high vacuum systems for nuclear use.

The box-like containers, made of forged aluminum, are designed to maintain a pressure equivalent to one-one-hundred-thousandth (1/100,000) that of the earth's atmosphere.

Each box measures about 19 inches in length, 11 and one-half inches in width and eight inches in height, with a wall thickness of about one-four-hundredths (1/400) of an inch. The container shell is reinforced by integrally machined internal aluminum ribs and protected by aluminum wire mesh between the ribs. Total weight when empty is about 13 and one-half pounds.

A container will accommodate about 37 pounds of individuallywrapped geological samples in addition to two small cylindrical canisters - one to be used in collecting lunar specimens for gas analysis experiments and the other for ultra-high vacuum con-

Lunar geological samples col- | (1/100,000,000) that of the earth's

Following fabrication, the conmensionally inspected, radiographed and subjected to a series of tests at Y-12. The tests include vacuum, tensile, temperature, humidity, salt fog, acceleration, low level shock and vibration. Simulated lunar thermal exposure and reduced gravity operability tests will be conducted at other installations.

On the first lunar voyage, two containers will be carried in the Lunar Excursion Module (LEM), the vehicle which will detach from the Command Module and land on the moon.

After the landing is accomplished, the astronauts will detach the containers from the LEM and proceed to fill them with geological samples. While resting on the lunar surface, each box will be protected by a plastic heat shield designed to prevent the container temperature from exceeding 150 degrees Fahrenheit.

When the sampling mission is completed, the filled boxes will be returned to the LEM and the astronauts will prepare for their rendezvous with the Command Module and eventual return to earth.

#### BARE POLITICAL FACTS

"The fight (in politics) cannot be won by the timid and noncomtainment for specimens. The lat- mittal. People must forego conter canister - about two and one- venience, and security from critihalf inches in diameter by five cism. They must get into politics and one-half inches long - is personally, directly, and actively. designed to contain specimens at They must be for someone and a pressure equivalent to about against someone, despite the conone - one - hundred - millionth sequences." . . . Raymond Moley.



JANICE DONAHUE, SECURITY, is all prepared for April showers! With the big array of door prizes set for Friday, April 7's dance, she's got it made. But they are not hers. They will go to some 10 lucky people attending the Spring Dance. Mark your calendar now . . . that's Friday, April 7.

# The Bulletin

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#### **Tucker Rites Are** Held In Alabama

The Dispatching Department sadly marks the passing of Mr. Thomas D. Tucker, who died Saturday, March 18, in Oak Ridge.



He came to Y-12 February 26, 1951, after working with the Maxon Construction Company, Reynolds Alloys, Sheffield, Alabama; the Tennessee Valley Authority, Sheffield;

Mr. Tucker and self-employment on his farm. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving from 1942 until 1943

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Katy Phillips Tucker; children, J. T., Ray, William, Judy, Helen, Mattie and Shelia, all at home at Route 2, Harriman; parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Tucker; brothers, Charles L., and William H., Lexington. Alabama; and sister, Mrs. Mattie Irene Fielder, also of Ala-

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 21, at the Mount Pleasant Baptist Church, Lexington, Alabama. Interment followed in the Carum Cemetery, Anderson, Alabama.

Sincere sympathy is extended the Tucker family.

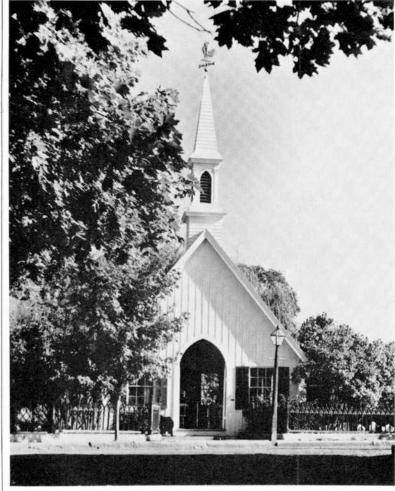
# ISA To Sponsor Mathematics Course

The Oak Ridge Section of the Instrument Society of America is sponsoring a course for technicians who wish to improve their proficiency in mathematics. It will be equivalent to upper high school level and will cover the following subjects: systems of numbers, exponents, radicals, linear equations, simultaneous linear equations, logarithms, determinants, and use of the slide

The course will be taught by Paul Kirk, ORNL Instrumentation and Controls Division. The starting date is March 30, at 6:30 p.m. at the Oak Ridge High School, and will meet Mondays and Thursdays for 10 weeks. Each student will need to purchase a textbook costing \$9. A small tuition fee may be charged if state aid is not available. Further information may be obtained from the instructor of H. S. McKown, at extension 3-5649.

If a sufficient number of students are interested, the course will continue for several more quarters starting next fall.

Accidents will happen - to the careless worker.



'Serenity' By Cliff Johnson

#### Cliff Johnson's Photo Of Church Takes Laurels In Art Exhibit

Carbide Camera Club recently, efforts in December?) by taking first place in black and white photography in a Southern to utilize the craftsmanship of Contemporary Art Exhibit. The our handicapped citizens. This enphotos were recently shown in ables them to share with us their Johnson City, and are touring throughout the South.

Johnson's impressive photograph of a church in Mystic, Connecticut, entitled "Serenity" sored by the Daniel Arthur Retook the top prize. His "Black habilitation Center with the coand White" also placed third in the impressionist category.

J. S. Dedrick.

all amateur and professional will play in promoting the crafts. photographers in the area.

While on tour, the photos are insured by Lloyds of London.

There were three categories pictorial, realistic and impressionistic.

announces a proposed project in the lawn-mower out where it's helping the Emory Valley School handy!

Cliff Johnson, Product Engi-|sell its handicap handicrafts. (Reneering, brought laurels to the member the story covering their

> The crafts center was founded gives them a useful and needed place in the community.

The handicrafts project is sponoperation of the National Council of Jewish Women and the Other CC winners were Bob Greater Oak Ridge Chamber of Stephenson, Carus DuBose and Commerce.

Camera Club members will be The competition was open to advised later on what part they

#### CONSIDER THE LILY

Be considerate of the little woman.

Before you take off for that Meanwhile, the Camera Club fishing trip Saturday, at least set



S. R. COWDEN, RETIRING THIS MONTH, is seen second from the left, at the beginning of his working career, nearly 50 years ago. The scene is beside a big poplar tree which has been timbered in the Cherokee National Forest. A note of interest about the photo: Sam sent the picture home to his mother. A young girl saw him in the picture . . . and that young lady has been Mrs. Cowden since January 7, 1922. The old picture was made in 1918.

# Maude Whaley, Sam Cowden And H. Y. Voiles To Retire

Two long-time Y-12ers write "finis" to their working careers Friday, as Mrs. Maude A. Whaley, ORNL Chemical Services, and Samuel R. Cowden, Buildings, Grounds and Maintenance Shops, retire. Hurst Y. Voiles, also of Cowden's group, has elected an early retirement. 6-13392

Y-12's first female retiree in a long time is a native Tennessean, having been born in Sevier County. She was a Parton, a wellknown Anglo-Saxon name in the Smokies.

Mrs. Whaley worked in Appalachian Mills, Knoxville, briefly during the beginning of World War II, and worked in a cafe owned by her husband. She came to Y-12 August 4, 1944. Her husband, Mr. William A. Whaley, died in 1959.

She lives on her 47-acre farm near Oliver Springs . . . at Route 2, Harriman. Her son Winford R. Whaley lives with her, and daughters Opal Jackson and Violet Black have homes on the place. She boasts eight grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

Growing flowers, especially iris, is her main hobby and she hopes to spend much of her time in this pursuit.

"I have enjoyed every shift I put in here in the plant," she says. "The friends I have made here the past 23 years have been the nicest people I know." Those "nicest people" honored Mrs. Whaley last week with a banquet at the Holiday Inn, Oak Ridge. Samuel R. Cowden is also a

native of Sevier County. He began working early in his life in the Cherokee National Forest, clearing timber. Since then, he has done carpentry work for the E. A. Wood Construction Comwealth of creative talents and pany, Nashville; the Tennessee Valley Authority, at Douglas, Norris, Chicamauga, and Watts Bar Dams.

> He says he hopes to work around his three-acre plot near Karns High School (his address is Route 20, Knoxville), fish, loaf, make garden, and make a general nuisance of himself around the neighborhood.

> Mrs. Cowden is the former Lottie Headrick. They have a daughter, Mrs. Mary Cartwright, Torrance, California, and two grandchildren, Mike and Nancy. Cowden came to Y-12 back in

February of 1944.

Electing early retirement this month is Hurst Y. Voiles, Buildings, Grounds and Maintenance Shops. Voiles came to Y-12 July 14, 1948, after working as a carpenter and machine operator for various concerns . . . Ford, Bacon & Davis, the TVA, J. A. Jones, the Charles H. Bacon Co., Lenoir City; the Wisconsin Bridge Company (He says he helped build the Loudon Bridge and the Kingston St. Bridge over Clinch

Voiles was born in Robbins, Tennessee, and lives now at Route 5, Lenoir City.

Mrs. Voiles is the former Ruth Newberry. They have a son, Bob- down) for three minutes. by Voiles, Huntington Beach, California; three daughters, Patsy ings 9201-3, 9996, 9204-4 and 9213 Allen, Johnson City; Jackiesue will be tested. The test will cover Draper, Maryville; and Doris Halloway, Lenoir City. They also have nine fine grandchildren.

Voiles says his father-in-law makes his home with them, and is not well. Most of his time will be spent with him.

All three Y-12ers take with them the very best wishes for a INGENUITY OF PLUMBING long and happy retirement from their fellow workers.

The time to prevent an accident is before it happens.



Maude A. Whaley 13393



Samuel R. Cowden 3394



Hurst Y. Voiles

# Siren Test To Be **Held Here Sunday**

The regularly set quarterly alarm system will be tested in Y-12, Sunday, April 2, at 9 a.m. This test will be the attack warning (the wail of the siren, up and

the "Attack Warning" only.

Employees who are working Sunday will not leave their work stations. Prior to the test, an announcement will be made to personnel over the public address system.

Anybody who has any doubt about the ingenuity or the resourcefulness of a plumber never got a bill from one. George Meany.





THE BADGERS, CURRENTLY RIDING the top of the C League Bowlers, is seen in the top photograph, and the Invalids are in the lower picture. From left, the Badgers are Sam Campbell, A. E. Smith, Tom Watts, Hugh Richards and Captain Dick Huber. The Invalids are Doug Sparks, Leon Brown, Bob Nelson, Granville Underwood and

# Rounders Rout Badgers, Move Up In C Bowling League Standings

in C Bowling circles last week by and their series of 2597 scratch, downing the league-leading Bad- 2954 handicap were high. gers for three points. (They stand now only one point away from the magic slot.)

A four-point win saw the Rodders over the Invalids, the Strikers over the HiLifers, and the Parbusters past the Royal Flush.

The Sunflowers swamped the Rollmasters for three. The Fireballs and Big Five shared two.

The Sunflowers' Red Halsey and Bill Stephens waxed hot in individual honors . . . Red taking a 222 scratch single, 245 handicap single. Bill rolled a 598 scratch series, 661 handicap series.

The Big Five bowled best singles in scratch counting with 920. The Sunflowers accounted for a

#### Y-12 Bowlers Place High In State Rolling

bowlers who call themselves the and 15-0. Y-12's big Beavers bet-Cox Pure Station girls! The five tered the Mix-Ups 15-2, 15-5, 15-7 bowlers won second place in the and 15-0. B Division in Memphis recently in the Tennessee Women Bowling Sports kill the Beagles 15-3, 15-11, Association's state tournament. 15-12 and 15-4. The Set-Ups de-Three Y-12ers make up the team feated the Neophytes 15-2, 15-7, ... Edith Duckworth, Helen Clark 15-4 and 15-4. The Tigercats took and Jo Bratton. Two others, Jane the Eagles 15-9, 16-14, 15-11 and Mook and Jean Graham, helped 15-5. with the 2345 scratch score rolled in state competition.

The second slot in the tournament brought the bowlers a prize of \$150 . . . only 83 pins removed from first place.

Mrs. Mook won all events honors in the women's competition, posting a 1692 total.

The Rounders gained a leg-up | 1033 handicap single count .

League standings folio	w.	
Team	W	L
Badgers	27	13
Rounders	26	14
Big Five	24	16
Strikers	24	16
Fireballs	22	18
HiLifers	211/2	1812
Rodders	20	20
Sunflowers	18	22
Parbusters	16	24
Royal Flush	15	25
Invalids	14	26
Rollmasters	1216	2716

# **Volleyball Teams** Take Solid Wins

Four-game sweeps marked last week's Volleyball League action, as six teams took total wins from opponents. The League played Tuesday only, allowing for the holiday on the week's end.

On Court A, the Old Men trimmed the Ecobums 15-2, 15-7, 15-7 and 15-7. The Scrubs sank the Congratulations to the women Charley Brown's 15-6, 15-2, 15-0

Court B's action saw the K-25

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Team .	W	)
K-25 Sports	19	
Beavers, Y-12	19	- 9
Scrubs, ORNL	17	
Tigercats, ORNL	16	- 9
Set-Ups, ORNL	14	)
Old Men. ORNL	10	1
Mix-Ups, K-25	7	1
Eagles, Y-12	6	1
Neophytes, Y-12	5	1
Ecobums, ORNL	4	1
Beagles, ORNL	1	1
Charley Brown's ORMI	1	1

# Recreation



Monday, April 3 BOWLING: 5:45 p.m., C League,

Ark Lanes

TABLE TENNIS: 7 p.m., Wild-

PHYSICAL FITNESS: (For Women) 7 p.m., Oak Ridge High School Girls' Gym.

Tuesday, April 4
PHYSICAL FITNESS: (For

Men) 7:30 p.m., Oak Ridge High School Gym.

VOLLEYBALL: Beginning 6:30 p.m., Robertsville Junior High School Gym. Court A: Ecobums vs. Beagles; Tigers vs. Scrubs; Set-Ups vs. Beavers. Court B: Neophytes vs. Old Men; K-25 Sports vs. Charley Brown's; Eagles vs. Mix-Ups.

Wednesday, April 5 CARBIDE RIFLE LEAGUE: 7

p.m., Clinton Rifle Range. BADMINTON: 7:30 p.m., Jefferson Junior High School Gym. BOWLING: 8 p.m., Mixed League, Ark Lanes (final sesison).

Thursday, April 6 BOWLING: 5:45 p.m., Classic League, Ark Lanes.

VOLLEYBALL: Beginning 6:30 p.m., Robertsville Junior High School Gym. Court A: Old Men vs. Mix-Ups; K-25 Sports vs. Beavers; Neophytes vs. Charley Brown's; Court B: Set-Ups vs. Ecobums; Tigers vs. Beagles; Eagles vs. Scrubs.

Friday, April 7 SPRING DANCE: 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Oak Terrace Ballroom. All Y-12ers welcome! \$1.50 per head.

#### 18 Teams Registered For Softball 'Summer'

A total of 18 teams has already shown interest in softball play for the summer (five from Y-12, 11 from ORNL and two from K-25). The Y-12 teams, with captains are Falcons, Fred Jeffers; Braves, Rick Hull; Fireguards, George McPherson; Bat Boys, B. C. Simms; and the Eagles, Hugh Richards. Another Y-12 team may enter shortly.

The more the merrier, says Recreation. If you want to enter your team, call at 3-7109.

# Mustangs Stretch Mixed Alley Lead

The Mustangs mustered a threepoint lead in standings in the Mixed Bowling League last week, with a three-point win over the Hits & Misses. Also taking three were the Roses 'N Thorns over the Alley Cats, and the Twisters past the Rollers. The Goofers and Novices shared two.

C. R. Lively, Rollers, rolled men's highs all the way, posting hot 216 scratch, 234 handicap singles; 582 scratch, 636 handicap series. Joyce Gillihan, Rollers, rolled a 171 scratch single. Her returned to the boards with 2754 213 handicap single tied with Dixie Stinnett, Twisters. Irene Carmack, Mustangs, mustered a 460 scratch series: and her teammate Mildred Morris marked a 583 handicap series.

The Mustangs swept team honors, singles of 680 scratch, 801 handicap; series of 1958 scratch, 2321 handicap.

League standings follow: League stan
Team
Mustangs
Hits & Misses
Goofers
Roses 'N Thorns
Twisters
Rollers
Alley Cats
Novices



BEAUTIFUL WALLACE HILLS GOLF COURSE will be the arena for Y-12's first big golf tournament of the year, set for Saturday, April 29. Details of the year's events are found below.

#### Golfers To Enjoy 5 Tournaments On East Tennessee Greens In 1967

The curtain will rise on the Golf season for Y-12ers next month . . . as Wallace Hills, Maryville, will be the scene of the first conflict April 29.

Y-12ers who hold handicaps leftover from last year. New greensmen are always welcome, however, and their handicap will be figured later.

The plant will be divided into four equal divisions, with prizes in each section . . . golf balls, as usual.

The remaining schedule is as follows.

May 20 - Southwest Point, Kingston June 24 - Springbrook, Niota mer.

July 22 — Tansi, Crossville August 26 - Lambert Acres, Maryville

Applications for the Wallace Hills will appear shortly in the There are approximately 175 Bulletin. As always, at least a threesome is required to enter the competition.

The handicap tournaments are arranged for the convenience of plant golfers, and handicaps are based on previous performance on the greens.

The Wallace Hills Club is described by golfers as "better than ever" so set Saturday, April 29, aside now.

You'll be hearing more later about the golf story for the sum-

#### Playboys-Has Beens Locked In Classic

The Playboys and Has Beens are locked again in tie for top spot in the Classic Bowling League.

Last week's action saw the Rebels move up to within onehalf point of the lead with a fourpoint win over the All Stars. The Tigers also moved up with a sweep over the Eightballs, as did the Swingsters past the Splinters.

The Markers moved over the



Cantrell

Cubs by three, and the Screwballs cinched three from the Rippers. The Has Beens assured the tie by taking three from the Ea-

George Cantrell, Swing-

sters, waxed hot on the alleys . . all the way. His terrific 255 single scratch game was pushed to a 274 handicap game. His series of 641 scratch, 698 handicap were naturally high also.

The Swingsters scratched at 937 in singles . . . the Has Beens and Smelters tied for handicap singles of 1044 . . . then the Swingsters

March 16 saw Bill Stephens, Bumpers, earn an ABC patch

games. Team Playboys Has Beens Rebels Tigers 34 34 33½ 32½ 32 32 18 18 18 19 20 21 23 25 26 26 29 29 33 35 36 38 Swingsters Splinters Eagles L 17 20 22 22 25 25 29 32 Markers Markers
Bumpers
Wasps
All Stars
Cubs
Rippers
Screwballs
Smelters
Eightballs 26 26 23 23 18½ 17 16 14

#### Bombers Undisputed Second Place Winners In Basketball Play-Off

The ORNL Bombers lowered their sights on the Radioisotopes last week to wind up the Basketball League for the year. The Bombers dropped the RI team 43 to 33 in a play-off for secondplace in first half standings. The Bombers already had retained the second-place crown in the league's last half of play.

In action last week the Bombers made 11 foul shots in the last quarter . . . as Jim Shoemaker led the team with 16 big points through the bucket. Herm Thomas helped with an even dozen points.

Joe Crunk was high-man for the losers, with 14. Come ye back next fall, ye

hoopsters!

# Hi-Power Rifle League Opens Fire

The first All-Carbide High Power Rifle match of the season was held in unseasonable weather. In near freezing gusts of wind up to 25 miles per hour, red cheeks and runny noses were initial signposts of the beginning of the season.

The high score was fired by Jack Spurling, Y-12, who came up with an astounding 455 out of a possible 500. Next came Ed Scott, also of Y-12, with a 453. with three fine 179 scratch Harry Hoy, ORNL, scored a 451, and ORNL's George Reimann tallied a 447.

A. A. Abbatteno, ORNL	44.4
Arvin Quist, ORNL	44
Jack Huff, Y-12	44
Dudley Hewett, ORNL	44
	42
	40
Hugo Bertini, ORNL	39
	37
	36
	36
	36
Jim Bell, ORNL	34
Jack Mrochek, ORNL	34
Bob Damen, K-25	34
Pay Ward ORNI	39



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# **Harless Family** Sees Son Graduate



James D. Harless

The J. W. Harless family (he's in Chemical Services) were proud spectators in the audience at the University of Tennessee graduating exercises, Saturday, March 18.

Their son, James D. (Jim) Harless, received his BS degree in education, with a major in biology. Jim plans a teaching ca-

Young Harless is married to Money Green Made the former Melanie Grigsby, Knoxville.

The Harless family lives at Route 2, Concord.

#### ICED COFFEE

The days of iced coffee will soon be upon us. One home economist suggests freezing icecubes from coffee . . . then setting provides bichromate liquor which, aside the finished liquid to cool. Thus, there's no dilution when with another company's lead comthis delicious summer-time drink pound, forms inorganic yellow. is served.

machine. Both must be made safe. Green.



. at last, and April is Spring . about to "shake out her raindrenched hair." About to shake out long - awaited anniversaries with Union Carbide Corporation are more Y-12ers. Congratulations.

20 YEARS

Francis M. Tench, Jr., Superintendents Division, March 31.

15 YEARS Kenneth R. Bowers, Specifications and Systems, March 30.

James K. Cox, Traffic Department, March 31.

James B. Price, General Metal Fabrication Shop, April 1. Helen G. Underwood, Casting

Department, April 2. Charles D. Wills, Salvage De-

partment, April 2. Edd Webber, Stores Depart-

ment, April 3. John H. Byrd, General Machine Shop, April 4.

Lloyd B. Morrow, General Machine Shop, April 4.
10 YEARS

Mary P. Pickens, Process Maintenance, April 1.

# Possible By Science

The Treasury Department is very particular about the color of folding money it relies on the chemical industry to meet an unvarying standard.

Several different chemical manufacturers are involved. One when mixed in exacting amounts

Then, still another chemical company adds a precise amount An unsafe man is like an unsafe of iron blue to produce Treasury



DANCE TICKETS GOING FAST! H. G. P. Snyder, superintendent of the Industrial Relations Department, makes sure C. E. Larson, Nuclear Division president; and R. F. Hibbs, Y-12 Plant Superintendent have their ducats for the April 7 festivities.



CHEMICAL ENGINEERING DEVELOPMENT congratulates M. E. Scrivner, center, and A. E. Sands, right, for their latest patent application "Rigid Carbon Foam and Process for Manufacturing Same." George B. Marrow, left, presents the co-developers their congratulatory letter.

# Retirement Needs A Little Planning

With life expectancy increasing a little every year, more and more planning must go into our retirement days. "Senior Citizens" and "Golden Age" groups are in evidence all around us.

Retirement can be one of the most productive and enjoyable periods of our life. It just takes a little planning.

First, it means a sharp reduction in income.

Thoughtful planning and careful money management can often make the difference between getting by comfortably and not having quite enough to get along on.

First, begin a careful inventory of financial assets, which include such items as company pension, veteran's pension, real estate you own, stocks and bonds, life insurance and annuities, savings, and Social Security.

Social Security, is, of course, a major item to be considered in planning retirement income. Persons are advised to visit their Social Security office three months before their planned retirement to get the full details of their benefits and the advantages of Medicare. The SS office says bring your card and birth certificate with you.

Just what income you need in retirement will depend a lot on Edd Symons who celebrated their your needs. If your home is paid 30th wedding anniversary March for, of course, housing will not 2 be as expensive for you. But, you should remember such items as taxes that are due. Up-keep on a home can be expensive.

The sooner you begin the easier is to build up retirement inincome after retirement through Pearl Anniversary.) profitable hobbies, or gardening, writing, or teaching.

Try to be rid of debts by that time. Your sharply reduced income will not allow for paying off crippling debts.

A happy and secure retirement just doesn't happen! It is careto do it is NOW. Don't wait until your 65th

birthday to make plans. life, and the big change that care.

# Symons Couple Set 30th Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Edd Symons

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs.

The Symons have four children, three daughters — one son, and home repairs and the inevitable five grandchildren. They make taxes that are due. Up-keep on their home at 820 Fowler Street, Clinton.

Symons is in Research Services. (The 30th wedding anniversary, come. Think about ways to earn according to records, is called the

#### HEADS, YOU WIN!

The American College of Neurosurgeons reports that of the 33,000 people who died from head injuries suffered in traffic accidents in the United States last year, 16,000 very likely would have fully thought out. And the time survived had they been wearing seat belts.

comes in retirement can be a lot Adjusting to change is part of of fun, if you'll map it out with

#### **Red Cross Advanced** First Aid Is Offered

The American Red Cross will sponsor an instructor's course in first aid, beginning Monday, April 10. The course is for anyone who has completed the Standard and Advanced First Aid courses and wishes to get his instructor's certificate. The classes will be held Monday through Friday, from 7 to 10 p.m. at the American Red Cross Building on the Turnpike, Oak Ridge.

Anyone who has a current instructor's certificate may take the course as a refresher and to brush up on the latest information and techniques. If a former instructor has let his card lapse, now is the time to get it renewed.

"Cotton" Jackson, Knoxville chapter of the ARC, will be the instructor.

#### Louisiana Purchase

A huge, 2,500-acre tract of land has been purchased by Union Carbide in Louisiana. The property, located on the west bank of the Mississippi, is about 16 miles south of Baton Rouge. It is in Iberville Parish near White Castle. There is no immediate plans for use of the property. Louisiana Governor John J. Mc-Keithen, in announcing the acquisition, said he hoped one day to see an industrial complex rising on the new site equaling the one at Taft, where Union Carbide's \$150 million chemicalsplastics plant is under construc-

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